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**Sarasota County**

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SSO CASE # 10-30192 SSO BK# 10-5560 OBTS # S801/530/8 ARREST# APR28 4:03PM  
AGENCY CASE # SAO# FDLE# UTC#

<b>ADULT - ARREST</b>		<input type="checkbox"/> WITH WARRANT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WITHOUT WARRANT <input type="checkbox"/> NON ARREST COMPLAINT			<b>JUVENILE</b>		<input type="checkbox"/> ARRESTED / DETAINED <input type="checkbox"/> ARRESTED / RELEASED WITH REFERRAL <input type="checkbox"/> NON-ARREST REFERRAL <input type="checkbox"/> TEEN COURT REFERRAL		
(LAST, FIRST, MIDDLE INITIAL)					(LAST, FIRST, MIDDLE INITIAL)				
<b>D</b>	<b>DEFENDANT</b> <b>Helwig, Mark Richard</b>				<b>ALIAS</b>	<b>N</b>			
<b>E</b>	DOB	AGE	SEX	RACE	HGT	WGT	COLOR HAIR	COLOR EYES	
<b>F</b>	06-01-65	44	M	W	6'0	175	Grey	Blue	
<b>E</b>					CITY	STATE		ZIP	
<b>N</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>		<b>505 Houle Ave, Sarasota Florida</b>						
<b>D</b>	PHONE #		SCARS/MARKS/TATTOOS						
<b>A</b>	941-879-7813		N						
<b>N</b>	DL#		ST	SOCIAL SEC#		CITY	STATE		
<b>T</b>	H452-556-65-201-0		FL	592-07-5350		PLACE OF BIRTH	Florida	FL	
<b>O</b>	OCCUPATION		EMPLOYER						
	Labor		Pgt						
<b>E</b>	EMPLOYER ADDRESS							PHONE #	20
	Nokomis, Florida							20	20
<b>C</b>	CITIZENSHIP		IMMIGRATION STATUS		RESIDENCE TYPE		RESIDENCE STATUS		<b>INFLUENCE</b>
			1. PERMANENT/LEGAL RESIDENT OF US 2. LEGAL VISITOR 3. UNDOCUMENTED ILLEGAL ALIEN 4. UNKNOWN		1. CITY 2. COUNTY 3. FLORIDA 4. OUT OF STATE		0. N/A 1. FULL YR 2. PART YR 3. NON-RES		OF DRUGS / ALCOHOL
					1		1		YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> UNKNOWN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
					2		2		YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> UNKNOWN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

DATE & TIME OF CRIME 10-07		CRIME LOCATION 505 Houle Ave, Sarasota			LOC TYPE 01	1	ZONE 4	GRID 83			
C	F.S./ORD # 794.011(4)(b)	CHARGE Sexual Battery Familial Or Custodial			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FELONY	<input type="checkbox"/> MISD	BOND	<i>✓</i>			
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E	F.S./ORD # 794.011(4)(e)	CHARGE Sexual Battery W/Mentally Defective Victim			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FELONY	<input type="checkbox"/> MISD	BOND	<i>✓</i>			
E	INVESTIGATING L.E.O. Det. K Northfield						ID#	1503			
E	DRUG UNIT	1. GRAM 2. MILLIGRAM	3. KILOGRAM 4. OUNCE	5. POUND 6. TON	7. LITER 8. MILLILITER	9. DOSE/UNIT/ ITEM		N			
N	DRUG TYPE	E. HEROIN H. HALLUCINOGEN O. OPIUM/DERIV C. COCAINE	M. MARIJUANA A. AMPHETAMINE B. BARBITURATE S. SYNTHETIC	U. UNKNOWN Z. OTHER P. PARAPHERNALIA EQUIPMENT	N. N/A	N	DRUG ACTIVITY	M. MANUF/CULT S. SELL E. USE D. DELIVER	P. POSSESS B. BUY U. UNK Z. OTHER	T. TRAFFIC K. DISTRIB R. SMUGGLE N. N/A	N
TYPE WEAPON SEIZED <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO		00. N/A 01. HANDGUN 02. RIFLE 03. SHOTGUN	04. UNK FIREARM 05. KNIFE/CUTTING 06. BLUNT OBJECT 07. HANDS/FIST/FEET	08. POISON 09. EXPLOSIVES 10. FIRE/INCENDIARY 11. THREAT/INTIMID	12. SIM WEAPON 13. DRUGS 88. UNKNOWN 99. OTHER	00	CALIBER GAUGE	N	FINISH WEAPON B. BLUE S. SILVER O. OTHER	N	

	DATE & TIME OF ARREST <b>04-28-10 1340</b>	ARREST L.E.O./ID# <b>Det. K Northfield #1503</b>	ASST L.E.O./ID# <b>Det. C Duff #1021</b>	
A E	ARREST LOCATION <b>2071 Ringling Blvd, Sarasota, Florida</b>		ZONE <b>050</b>	GRID <b>050</b>
R E	CAPIAS/WARRANT #	COUNTY & STATE OF WARRANT		
E N				
S T	DATE BOOKED	TIME BOOKED	RETURNABLE DATE <b>S-28-10</b>	BOOKING OFFICER
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On 04/23/2010, I was contacted by Det. Ken Halpin in reference to an alleged sexual battery that occurred in the unincorporated areas of Sarasota. Det. Halpin was told that a [REDACTED] year old female had made a disclosure of sexual abuse by [REDACTED] Mark Helmig.

I made contact with the victim [REDACTED] at her school. [REDACTED] explained to me that she had been [REDACTED] the Helmig family since about September of 2007. She told me that she was removed from her mother's custody [REDACTED] said that [REDACTED] Mark Helmig, began touching her sexually just after she had been there for about one month. She told me that after it first began she had disclosed to her [REDACTED], that Mark Helmig had came into her bedroom and was rubbing her on her legs and touching her [REDACTED] told her that Mark used to do the same thing to her. According to [REDACTED] told her [REDACTED] what was happening but she wouldn't believe her.

[REDACTED] told me that over the next two years, Mark Helmig, had attempted to have anal and/or vaginal sex with her on about ten different occasions. [REDACTED] told me that they only engaged in sexual intercourse three times because she was able to get away from Helmig on the other occasions. [REDACTED] said that the sexual abuse had occurred on Saturdays or Sundays when her [REDACTED] was at work. According to [REDACTED] all the sexual intercourse occurred in Mark Helmig's bedroom on his bed. The last time they engaged in intercourse was around November of 2009. [REDACTED] said that Mark had pushed her down onto his bed, held her there and forced his penis inside of her vagina. Since then, Helmig has grabbed her and touched her sexually on numerous occasions. [REDACTED] told me that she tries to stay away from Helmig on the weekends to prevent the abuse.

I made contact with [REDACTED] Ms. [REDACTED] advised that she also was sexually molested by [REDACTED] Mark Helmig for about 5 years. Ms. [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] did talk to her about the abuse and that she did tell [REDACTED] Nancy Helmig. Ms. [REDACTED] also told me about a friend [REDACTED] whom Mark Helmig had "groped" her during a camping trip.

 ADDITIONAL PAGES - ATTACHED AND INCORPORATED HEREIN

SIGNATURE OF L.E.O./AFFIANT

ID#

1503

SWORN TO (OR AFFIRMED) AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME THIS 28 DAY OF APRIL 2010 BY  
DET. K NORTHFIELD  WHO IS PERSONALLY KNOWN OR  WHO PRODUCED THE FOLLOWING  
 (PRINT L.E.O./AFFIANT NAME)

IDENTIFICATION

SIGNATURE

 L.E.O. ID #

PRINT NAME

Det. Ken Northfield  
1503  NOTARY  
DET. K. NORTHFIELD K-1716472

SUPERVISOR SIGNATURE

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On April 28<sup>th</sup>, 2009, I interviewed Mark Helmig at the Sarasota's Sheriff's Office. This interview was recorded in its entirety. I read Helmig his Miranda Rights, and he agreed to speak with me. During this interview, Mark Helmig denied all the allegations of sexual abuse on his [REDACTED] and on [REDACTED]. Helmig did admit that he "groped" [REDACTED] breasts [REDACTED] during a camping trip. According to Helmig, it was because he was drunk.

Helmig told me that he does not have any explanation of why over the last 8-9 years there have been four separate allegations of sexual abuse involving children to include a DCF report in 2009, that he had performed oral sex on [REDACTED] while he slept. I made contact with this child who stated that it happened a long time ago (8 years) and he thinks he probably dreamed it. The child did not deny that he was molested by Helmig, but states that he just doesn't remember.

I talked to Helmig about [REDACTED] mental status. Helmig said that she was borderline mentally retarded and had a low IQ. He told me that at times she seems normal but then at other times she has no common sense. Helmig stated that he was aware that [REDACTED] had seen a Doctor and had an IQ of around [REDACTED].

I received a copy of a neuropsychological evaluation performed on [REDACTED] dated August 2009 by Dr. James McGovern, Psy.D. The following is a portion of that evaluation:

[REDACTED]

As a result of this investigation, I have found probable cause that the defendant, Mark Helmig did commit sexual battery on a [REDACTED] child on more than one occasion. This is in violation of **F.S.S. 749.011(8)(b)** and **F.S.S. 749.011(4)(e)**.

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Detective K. Northfield  
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Detective K. McGovern